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NO "PULL" THERE.

full amount due and as rapidly as pos- tain his position. trouble on your part.

Yours very respectfully, H. R. KINCAID. Secretary of State.

THE FORESTRY Department of the in trees. In the eastern states it has indicating that there was some draw--Exchange.

BECAUSE A postmaster at one of the small offices has just been detected in the swindling the government by filling out postal money orders upon which it is charged he secured the money, it is understood an attempt is to be made restricting the business men and limiting the number of orders which each with each order limited to \$100. This would be all wrong and an unjust hardpostmaster can issue in one month. the government should protect itself with out subjecting the citizens to unnecessary inconvenience .- Guard.

THERE IS a grain of truth in the assertion humorously put forth by a west- creasing is undeniable, but it is equally 1. Farmers will receive this year for ern paper that "lying is expected in a true that the number of poor men is their produce a vast sum, over and above politician as much as a circus man, a decreasing, relatively speaking, and the their income during the past years of hunter or a fisherman, and nobody pays proportion of absolutely destitute is depression. any more attention to it." The writer greatly diminished. Wealth has been 2. These increased profits of the had in view those who are described by discovered in immense quantities be- farmers in the United States alone will the word "politicians" in its deprecatory neath and upon the surface of the soil be from 500 to 750 millions of dollars. sense. But in a republic every man and it has been brought forth in gen- according to the extent of the upward should be a politician, taking the word erous profusion through the splendid trend of values. in its primary and best meaning. No progress of science and art. But these 3. These enormous extra profits wil one would say in seriousness that every additions to the common store have not come largely from abroad, at least inman should be untruthful regarding his impoverished anybody. No man in his directly. This apparently means heavy political acts and purposes. Even a right mind would say that the big grain imports of gold before spring. diplomatist should not be a liar. One crop in Kansas and Nebraska this year 4. The farmers will invest their milof the greatest of these said that he will cause destitution in any quarter of lions in paying their debts, in improving made it a rule always to tell the truth, the globe. Some may have obtained a their homes and farms, and in other enfor, since no one would Le'ieve him, larger share of the benefits than others, terprises. They have long been the it served the purpose of diplomacy bet- as one man in the parable turned his largest consumers of manufactures, and ter than silence or evasion. Besides, he talents to better account than the other. now that they have money again, their kept his conscience clear .- The Youth's But in the increase of wages and the extra purchases will make an enormous

is not the case, the opposite condition follows his example is a nuisance. of increase prevailing. According to the report submitted the national encampment, last week, there are at present, 362,816 veterans on the membership rolls, while the account of '96 showed a total of but 340,610. The a loss to many of our enterprising gain is remarkable in face of the fact business men. But they are getting that thirty-two years have elapsed their money back in an indirect way, since the close of the war, but is ex- It is saving tons of fruit, that otherwise plained that the "defenders" have here- would go to waste, and giving employtofore been negligent, and in some ment to many willing hands in orchards instances not afforded opportunity, of and plant,-Guard. entering into and enjoying the fellowship of their associates in such trying times. The report further shows Oregon as having residence of 1916 members of the order,-Coquille City Bulletin.

## TRUE PROSPERITY.

the Decrease.

proportion of the labor was performed and the arts, it would regain something by women and children, which natural- of its old prestige. ly reduced the percentage of gain. During the succeeding decade the transformation of industrial conditions incident 1890 they had reached \$445. Thus, both the percentage of persons employed and the rate of wages were vastly higher in 1890 than in 1880.

That the number of rich men is inmultiplication of opportunities for em- aggregate. ployment the good is widely diffused 5. This alone will beget activity and Ir is generally asserted and believed and poverty is greatly diminished. In profits in all other judustry. The Amerthat the membership of the Grand view of these facts, the agitator who ican people naturally extravagant, will Army of the Republic decreases at a spreads discontent by misrepresentation in prosperity be wasteful consumers of rapid rate each year. Such, however is an enemy, and the ignoramus who labor products, and moreover have got

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THERE IS considerable dissatisfaction over the action of the Oregon's congrescional delegation in recommending T. T. Geer for register of the land office at Oregon City while T. J. Black is allowed to retain the office of collector of customs at Portland after the expiration of the term for which he was appointed. the wonder worker, that makes weak men the term for which he was appointed.

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## HEBREWS IN PALESTINE.

A Good Scheme for That Region but Unattractive to Jews.

Renoklyn Eagle

It has for so long a time been the com- earnest, for the Hebrews are a thrifty the first of October. mon custom of demagogues who know race and there are many among them The suit for an injunction to prevent better and ill-informed persons who who could raise the purchase price Some one who did not know Sec- don't know, to make that false proposi- alone. It is a sentimental movement, employe of his department was argued tary Kincaid intimated that certain tion the subject of harangue, that it is however, and one more than doubts if before Judge Cox, of the supreme court of the sun, it has the fixity of the stars. parties had sufficient influence to get not surprising it should be accepted anything of practical consequence will of the District of Columbia on Saturday He that wrestles with us strengthens their claims against the state passed on more or less widely as a truism. There result from it. The Hebrews are too The judge took the papers and stated out of the regular order. To this the are in every community of considerable prosperous and contented in other that he would announce his decision in antagonist is our helper. population unfortunate people who are parts of the world to wish to give up a few days. It is believed that he will "Any broker or other person who unable to get on, how ever much they their homes and go into a land where su-tain the right of the head of the destates or imagines that he has a "pull" try, and idle or dissolute persons who the people, the habits and customs are in this office, if by that he go from bad to worse, so far as material strang . Moreover, Palestine is not a the employee at his discretion, by re means that he will receive any comforts are concerned, and it is easy pleasant land to live in for those who using the injunction asked for. Whatspecial favors to be treated better or to point to them in proof of the allega- are used to the fertility and comfort of ever the decision, the case will be struggle upward, in which millions are different from any other person or per- tion that the poor are growing poorer. America and much of Europe. The de- appealed and carried to the U. S. sons, is either mistaken or willfully It is equally true that those who have foresting of the country converted it inlies. All have received vouchers in acquired considerable means have op- to a desert long ago-a desert with oases their regular order as fast as possible, portunities of multiplying their posses- to be sure, but a dry, dus v, barren land and all will receive vouchers or war- sions which the others do not enjoy, for the larger part. It is a land where rants, if warrants can be issued, as and that fact to the casual observer farming, stockfaising and dairy busirapidly as the claims can be examined. supports the theory that the rich are ness-the ancient employments of its No broker or attendancy can hurry up growing richer. But Mr. Wright takes people-will be expensive and difficult. any claim or increase the amount one issues with each of these propositions, And in 2000 years or more that have cent. All claims will be allowed for the and gives the facts and figures to sus- passed since Palestine enjoyed Hebraic autonomy, the character of the Hebrews sible, with the clerical force in this In 1870, according to this capable and has changed. They have ceased to be an office, no matter who the claimant may conservative statistican, there were 12,- agricultural people. They have shown be. Your claims will receive attention 505,923, or 32.43 per cent of the entire a positive distaste for farming and garas soon as possible without any further population, engaged in self-supporting lening. The attempts to establish colopursuits. In 1880 the number had in- nies that should be self-supporting have creased to 17,392,099, and the percent- failed for the colonists unanimously age to 34.67. In 1890 the census returns turned to trade, or at least chose em showed an earning force of 22,735,661, playments that did not oblige them to which comprised 36.81 per cent of the work out of doors. Probably in cas total population. These figures prove of a large exodus to the Holy Land the United States government makes a that the proportion of the total popu- Heprews would do as others are doing specialty of counting the annual rings lation employed in gainful occupations in our country; they would congest in is increasing, so that even if there was the cities and Jerusalem would take on been demonstrated that the growths in no perceptible improvement in the wage metropolitan proportions. This, how-1813-14 and 15 were very slight. In- rates there would be nevertheless be a ever, would lead to a development of vestigation showed that the winters of decrease rather than an increase, in the surrounding country and if they did those years were very severe, which poverty. But what are the facts with not work the farms, build railroads, accounts for the slow growth. Some reference to this feature of the subject? hotels and theaters, introduce electric observers of the tree growth on this In 1850 the average annual earnings of lighting and traction and secure rehabite coast assert that in the older trees a each employe engaged in manufactur- sanitation and water supplies, others very slow rate of growth can be found, ing or mechanical labor, including men would do so at their behest. In the women and children, amounted in hands of the Turk, Palestine will probback at work here a few centruries ago. round numbers to \$247. In 1860 the ably remain the dead-and-alive re, on average was \$289, and in 1870 it had that it is tolay. Under the go ernadvanced to \$302. It may be observed ment of the Hebrews, whose wits have that for a considerable time, during the been sharpened by long dealing with decade between 1860 and '70, the country the world and who have made their was involved in war, and an unusual mark in politics, the professions and

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WHY GOOD TIMES ARE CERTAIN.

to supply themselves with stuff they

have been doing without for four years. 6. But all sorts of folks will profit by the great lesson of all taught by the hard times-they will get out of debt. This is the real explanation of the continued abundance of money and easiness in the market, added to the fact that in periods of rising prices people generally are making profits instead of suffering losses, as has been the case during the

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FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.

President McKinley returned today In the Atlantic Monthly for September There is a revival of the scheme for for the purpose of holding a cabinet the Hon, Carrol D. Wright, chief of the the purchase of Palestine by the He- meeting, discussing Cuban matters with federal bureau of labor statistics, pub- brews, that they may return to their Consul General Lee, and disposing of tished an article of much interest and old home after 20 centuries of wander -- ome pressing public business, after value on the question, "Are the Rich ing. There will be no difficulty in find- which he will go away again, probably Growing Richer and the Poor Poorer?" ing the money, if the people are in to New England, to remain until about

postmaster general from reducing an but civilization cannot die. partment to change or remove any of

which has been regarded as a trustworthy barometer of the general business conditions of the country things and the country has crossed the line contentment in his will is the best which separated it from prosperity. The remedy we can apply to misfortunes. business of these thirty postoffices was year. A comparison of 1897 with 1896 fork out his penny and pocket your shows, in January, a decrease of 3,5 per shilling. cent; in February, a decrease of 4.5 per They who have the true taste of conincrease of .5 per cent; and July, of .3 fections. per cent. The jump to a clean 8 per ent increase in August is considered omething extraordinary.

Somewhat of a sensation in official

ircles followed the report telegraphed

from Charleston, S. C. that a Spanish

spy had been making sketches of the fortifications for the protection of Charleston harber and of other fortifications on the southern coast, although no official will discuss the matter for publication. Although congress has provided that no outsider shall be admitted ernment, without a special permit from v easy ways which information may, from time to time, be obtained about it. for Every man who expresses his We do not wisely when we vent con mention. Old army officers regard it as ment. mpossible to keep such things secret in this country, when all the European do the same thing. They say that our

war department gets about all the in-

inv sleep on account of the practice. Considerable gossip has been caused n political circles by the statement that Senator Hanna is using the money and nfluence of the republican national committee, of which he is chairman, much more freely to aid his own senatorial aspirations than he is doing to be considered exactly the fair thing to do when he has a chance. Mr. Hanna naturally has a greater personal interest in carrying Ohio and getting himself elected to the senate than he has in his . Merit talks" the party carrying any other state. The politicians who do not look out for their colities long. This is not meant as other excuse or defense for Senator Hanna, but as a plain statement of everyday facts, known to every man who is familiar with political methods

through all its agents in that section to keep Americans from venturing into the Klondike gold regions, until after travel opens next spring, in order to save them from certain starvation that will await

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trampled to death, that thousands n

are getting a decided move on them tween a creature and its maker; and

than it was in the same month last ings. Idler or bungler, he is willing to

cent; March, an increase of 2.2 per versation enjoy themselves in a comcent; April an increase of .5 per cent; munication of each others excellence, May, an increase of .7 per cent; June an and not in a triumph over their imper-

> those who sneer habitually at numan nature, and affect to despise it, are

> livens the imagination, and is on inually starting fresh game that is immediatelly pursued and taken, and which would never have occured in the dutter

The legitimate aim of craticism as to to any fortification belonging to the gov- direct attention to the excellent. The the officer in command of it, there are, perfect may be safely left to that final according to army officers, comparative- neglect from which no amount of present undeserved popularity can rescue

our fortifications. Congress invariably A man takes contradiction much more attaches to all appropriations for forti- easily than people think, only he will fications a stipulation that the work not bear it when violently given even shall be done by contract, to be given though it be well founded. Hearts are to the lowest responsible bidder, and flowers; they remain open to the softly whenever any work is to be done upon falling dew, but shut up in the violent

intention to bid for the work, must see plaint and censure. Human nature is where the work is to be done, and must more sensible of smart in suffering than have access to all the plans and speci- of pleasure of rejoicing, and the present fications. That is one of the easy ways endurances easily take up our thou; hts. of finding out about our fortifications. We cry out for a little pain, when we and there are others, too numerous to do not smile for a great deal of content-

countries have failed in their attempts to ion, we think, meets the hearty indorse ment of the majority of the common people. Also, would tend to extend and formation it wants about the fortifica. raise the standard of education more tions in other countries, and they generally by having one main source assume that the other countries, can do of knowledge for the rising youth at the same about ours. It is altogether public expense. Our quotation comes likely that Spain, and other countries from Gov. Lord and recently appeared are constantly represented within our in an eastern paper on the subject of fortifications, by men seeking and get. education. "Replying to your recent ting information, but nobody need tlose question, I have to say that, in my public; something must be left for in-

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